Moyers, Hoover Deny FBI Has CIA Role

retary Bill D. Moyers and Bureau and of those police FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover labeled "not true and irresponsible" yesterday a report that FBI agents abroad are signments were a matter of collecting intelligence data.

Hoover issued a statement denying that President John- at the height of the Dominison had issued instructions can crisis last May, the Presfor the FBI to step up its activ- ident had ordered the closest ity in Latin America.

not true and is irresponsible Agency (CIA) with respect to in my opinion because it is that crisis. not true."

Service report appeared in wise the president has given late editions of The Washing-no new instructions whatever ton Post yesterday.]

ment the FBI maintains a America." number of liaison posts in foreign countries "for the pur- liaison offices in Mexico City, pose of exchanges of informa-Rio de Janeiro and Buenos tion with the police forces in Aires, London, Bonn, Paris, those countries on matters re- Tokyo and other important lating to the domestic law en-capitols.

Both White House Press Sec | forcement duties of the forces."

> He said these overseas asrecord.

The FBI director said that cooperation between the FBI Moyers said the report "is and the central Intelligence

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Hoover said the FBI has